People Below Poverty Line In Madhya Pradesh

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(a) the percentage of people living below poverty line in the rural and urban areas of Madhya pradesh, vis-a-vis in other State and Union Territories as per the latest review;

(b) the specific schemes approved for 1991-92 for alleviation of poverty in Madhya Pradesh; and

(c) the quantum of Central assistance given to Machya pradesh for the purpose in 1991-92?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H.R.BHARDWAJ): (a) In 1987-88, the latest year for which information is available, the parcentage of people living below poverty line in rural and urban areas of Madhya Pradesh and comparative position of other States/UTs is given in the attached statement.

(b) The Central Schemes approved for implementation during 1991-92 in Madhya Pradesh for alleviation of rural Poverty are Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) and Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY) and for the urban poor in the State Nehru Rozgar Yojana (NRY) is being implemented.

(c) Central assistance allocated under poverty alleviation programmes for 1991-92 in respect of Madhya Pradesh is shown below:-

Programme	*Central Allocation 1991+92 (Rs.crores)*
1	*2*
IRDP	*34.3*
JRY	*211.2*
NRY	*8.6*

STATEMENT

Sl. No.	States & U.Ts.	Rural		Urban		Combined	
		No. of Persons (lakhs)	%of Persons	No. of Persons (Lakhs)	% of Persons	No. of Persons (lakhs)	% of Persons
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Andhra Pradesh	153.1	33.8	42.8	42.6	195.70	31.7
2.	Assam	50.4	24.5	2.5	9.4	52.89	22.8
3.	Bihar	330.3	42.7	36.1	30.0	336.54	40.8
4.	Gujarat	56.2	21.2	17.1	12.9	73.25	18.4
5.	Haryana	13.5	11.7	4.7	11.7	18.15	11.6
6.	Himachal Pradesh	4.4	9,7	0.1	2.4	4.52	9.2
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	8.4	15.5	1.4	8.4	9.79	13.9
8.	Karnataka	102.8	35.9	33.7	24.2	136.46	32.1
9.	Kerala	37.4	16.4	11.6	19.3	48.98	17.0

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10.	Madhya Pradesh	194.0	41.5	30.9	21.3	224.97	36.7
11.	Maharashtra	166.9	36.7	47.2	17.0	214.10	29.2
12.	Orissa	124.2	48.3	1.9	24.1	135.12	44.7
13.	Punjab	9.6	7.2	4.3	7.2	13.88	7.2
14.	Rajasthan	80.6	26.0	19.0	19.4	99.54	24.4
15.	Tamil Nadu	138.4	39.5	38.5	20.5	176.85	32.8
16.	Uttar Pradesh	373.1	37.2	75.2	27.2	446.34	35.1
17.	West Bengal	137.2	30.3	36.3	20.7	173.45	27.6

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18.	Small States & U.Ts.	9.3	11.8	4.9	4.7	14.2	7.7
19.	All India	1959.7	33.4	417.0	20.1	2376.7	29.9

Note:1. The above estimates are derived by using the proverty line of Rs. 49.09 per capita per month at 1973-74 prices corresponding to daily calories requirement of 2400 per person in rural areas and the poverty line of Rs. 56.64 per capita per month corresponding to calories requirement of 2100 in urban areas.

2. For up-dating the poverty line for 1987-88 C.S.O. Private consumption deflator has been used.
3. These calculations are based on the draft report of 43rd Round of National Sample Survey date on household consumer expenditure. (Report No. 372 'Report on the Forth Quinquennial Survey on Consumer Expenditure' N.S.S.O., June, 1990)
4. The number of people below poverty line relates to the population as on 1st March, 1988.
5. State-wise poverty ratios have been estimated using the same methodology as was used at the time of formulation of Seventh Five Year Plan. Since then a number of issues have been raised about the methodology of poverty estimation and these issues are being considered by an expert group headed by Dr. D. T. Lakdawala.
6. The estimates presented here are likely to get revised in the light of the recommendations of the Expert Group.